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AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM

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TAGS: PFOR, PINS, GW

SUBJECT: MESSAGE TO FOREIGN MINISTER GENSCHER CONCERNING

TERRORIST ATTACK ON FRG EMBASSY STOCKHOLM

1. REQUEST EMBASSY DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM
SECRETARY TO FOREIGN MINISTER GENSCHER ASAP.

2. BEGIN TEXT.

DEAR MR. MINISTER:

I FOLLOWED WITH HORROR THE ANARCHIST ATTACK ON YOUR
EMBASSY IN STOCKHOLM9 PLEASE ACCEPT MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY
ON THE LOSS OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL ANDREAS BARON VON MIRACH
AND ECONOMIC COUNSELOR DIETRICH HILLEGAART IN THIS TRAGIC
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EVENT. KNOWING HOW KEENLY YOU AND YOUR GOVERNMENT MUST

FEEL THIS LOSS OF LIFE, YOU MUST AT THE SAME TIME BE
RELIEVED THAT IT WAS NOT GREATER, AND THAT YOU WERE

ALSO ABLE TO THWART THE TERRORISTS' EFFORT TO COMPEL THE
RELEASE OF THEIR COMRADES TO STRIKE AGAIN AT INNOCENT
PEOPLE. THE FIRMNESS WITH WHICH YOUR GOVERNMENT MET THE
CHALLENGE AT STOCKHOLM CONTRIBUTES DIRECTLY TO OUR
COMMON ENDEAVOR TO DEMONSTRATE TO TERRORIST GROUPS THE
WORLD OVER THAT THEIR ASSAULTS ARE AS UNPRODUCTIVE FOR

THEIR PURPOSES AS THEY ARE DEPRAVED.

WARM REGARDS,

HENRY A. KISSINGER

END TEXT.

3. WE DO NOT INTEND TO MAKE ABOVE MESSAGE PUBLIC BUT
HAVE NO OBJECTION TO ITS RELEASE BY FRG GOVERNMENT.
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